

Today  
(For U. S. Edition Only)  
Lloyd's Thinks No War  
The First Blow Is Best  
Out of the League. Why?  
The Head Man's Load  
By Arthur Brisbane

Chancellor Lloyd, who has been a vocal opponent of the League of Nations, today refused to insure against war at any price. New Lloyd will insure, however, to "bet" nine and a half in one against war within six months. Wall Street wanted the news and of course cheered up.

Chancellor Lloyd said in Munich, on Saturday, "I will take the full responsibility for what I have recently done."

I doubt whether anyone else would have the courage to take the full responsibility in his hands.

Not many, probably, but it has been done. Roosevelt took full responsibility for England's policy for France. George Washington took and carried responsibility for this country. The heaviest load that a public man must carry is responsibility.

An intelligent young man who fought well in the big war speaks of "the 2-1-1" advantage which modern methods give the defense over the attack. To let the other man or nation come at you, if you are prepared, has been wise in the past.

It might be different in future wars, if the attacker with a couple of thousand airplanes, dropping explosive bombs and poison gas, should surprise the enemy. "Defense" would have no 2-1-1 advantage over that sort of attack. The advantage and victory will be with the country that strikes the first blow, if it has hard enough to demonstrate its defense.

The safety of this country, as with Russia, lies in its great size. If you destroyed New York, Washington, Boston, that would be bad, but you would not have conquered the United States, only one small piece. If you destroyed Paris, Bordeaux and Marseilles, France would be gone. If you destroyed London, Liverpool, Manchester, England would find it hard to recover.

The first blow, hard enough, is the thing in modern war.

Are you glad the United States is not a member of the League of Nations, with Geneva telling what this country must do about Europe's situation? The fact that we are not in the League is due primarily to two men, Senator Hiram Johnson of California, who fought the thing out in the Senate, and William Randolph Hearst, whose newspapers enlightened and created public opinion from one end of the country to the other.

New York reports a giant meteor, flashing brilliantly across the night sky, lighting six states, landing, apparently, with great force. Formerly, it would have said "the fireball was sent to warn war the nations in Europe, and tell us to keep out."

Modern incredulity thinks the meteor was "just natural," and tries vainly to find the place where it landed.

Scientists say the big meteor probably exploded and was scattered long before it hit the earth.

In Spain, burning of churches and other religious buildings continues, scores of Spaniards, including the son of the late Dictator Primo De Rivera, are locked up for trying to stop the churches from destruction. Two more churches were burned in Madrid on Saturday, according to the Associated Press, and the "unconquered crucifix of the Christ of Faith, long an object of adoration, was destroyed."

Antireligious hatred is said to be less intense in Mexico and in Russia than it was.

Government thought it wanted to dig a canal across Florida, avoiding loss of time and danger in the long windy trip around Key West.

Southern Florida, where the canal was to be dug, is now a no-man's land. The canal, which would be dug to the Gulf of Mexico, is said to be a "dead end" for the canal, discovers that salt water from the canal will ruin the land. The canal is said to be a "dead end" for the canal, discovers that salt water from the canal will ruin the land.

Meanwhile the government must pay for about 1,000,000 cubic yards of earth already removed, and the excavating contract, for 1,000 cubic yards, is said to be a "dead end" for the canal, discovers that salt water from the canal will ruin the land.

Pearl S. Buck, author of "The Good Earth," in private life Mrs. Richard and Day Malet, and her husband, have adopted two boys five weeks old.

That is better than adopting a furry Pekinese dog or a shivering long-haired cat, which would be better. But if you kept a store with pet dogs at double the price of babies, you would sell more dogs.

# FRENCH WARS ON BORDER

## HITLER PEACE CONDITIONS REFUSED

**THE WEATHER**  
Rain tonight and Tuesday, becoming colder Tuesday, probably with snow flurries; lower temperature tonight, in the lower 30s; moderate variable winds becoming northwesterly of north.  
High 43.5 at 3 p. m.; 24.5 at 8 p. m.  
Low 30.5 at 6 a. m.; 20.5 at 10 p. m.  
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**BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN**  
NEW ENGLAND'S GREATEST EVENING NEWSPAPER  
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**LATEST MARKETS**

**Kidnap Fears Allayed By Arrest**

# Barbara Hutton Plot Bared in Court



Countess Barbara Hutton Haugwitz-Reventlow, only recently recovered from the birth of her son, breathed easier today with word that kidnap threats against the baby had been solved. Suspect has been jailed in connection with alleged hoax. Countess is shown here in her latest picture.

**NEW DRAINS IMPERIL MALE FLOOD AREAS**

**5-10 HEIRESS EXTORTION PLOT BARED**

**U. S. Probes Arms Firms In Boston**

**FRENCH RUSH TROOPS TO BORDER**

**3 Bannister Aumissions Barred**

**BIG ICE JAM MENACES BANGOR**

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**STOCKS MIXED**

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**RESPONSIBILITY**

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**Today's American Amusements**

Manchester, Eng., March 16 (AP)—Alfred Molynx, 31, of Lancashire, was jailed today on a charge of attempting to extort £200 (\$1000) from Countess Barbara Hutton Haugwitz-Reventlow by pretending to reveal a plot to kidnap her newborn son.

Police said that Molynx had admitted writing a letter during "moments of depression" offering to disclose the "plot." He was detained in custody for a week.

The prisoner was trapped by police when he went to keep a rendezvous with a "messenger from the Countess." He told the police that no kidnap plot existed.

**GIVES INSTRUCTIONS**  
Molynx was arrested last Saturday. The letter went into detail as to how to contact Countess Hutton and an agent from the Countess.

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**Molway, Emery Plead Not Guilty**  
Clement F. Molway, 25, of Oliver Street, Brighton, and Emery, 24, of Vermont Avenue, Somerville, pleaded not guilty today to charges of larceny of an auto and using it without authority when they were strangled in East Cambridge district court.

Molway, who was tried for a Lynn murder confessed to later by the Milnes, was arrested with Emery in Brighton in a machine police allege was stolen from a Harvard student.

Their cases were continued until Friday for hearing by Judge Z. R. Thompson.

**RESPONSIBILITY**  
"There is nothing of which a free people are so apt to be jealous as of the existence of political functions and political checks in those who are not appointed by and made directly responsible to themselves."

—JOSEPH STORY, "Commentaries on U. S. Constitution," January, 1833.

**Deadline Income Tax Rush Is On**  
As exceedingly heavy mail kept coming in today, the income tax division at the Federal building, Zero hour was 4:30 p. m.

It is figured that the amount in taxes this year will reach \$10,000,000, which is 25 per cent. more than last year.

**Paris, March 16 (AP)**  
—French troop reinforcements started today for the eastern frontier, facing the Rhineland newly occupied by Germany in violation of the Locarno pact.

The war ministry announced, however, that the 2000 reservists who entered for the border this morning comprised a regular contingent, recalled for 28 days of training.

Small groups of communications forces and other specialists have been moving intermittently for several days.

A group of members of the Chamber of Deputies' army committee returned from the frontier with a report, the army announced, that the army had secured its full quota of equipment, and it was said that the army was extending through the country.

There are approximately 560 makers of war materials in the United States, 16 of which manufacture gas-masks alone.

**MAY BE WIDENED**  
It was said that at least three firms in this district, two of which have been in business for 25 years, were questioned in the assigned letters received by the Munitions Board.

Going even beyond the companies which manufacture gas and ammunition, the probe may be widened to include those firms making cloth, shoes, or articles and airplane supplies.

Loans or credits by bankers will also be looked over by the G-Men for possible discrepancies under the Neutrality Act.

When the President signed the neutrality act, he said that it was a temporary measure until May 1, 1937, he issued a strict warning to the nation's shippers that they would carry out transactions with the "enemy" at their own risk.

**WOULD BE EXEMPT**  
Latin-American countries would be exempt from the restrictions of the act providing they were at peace with non-American nations.

The President, under the Munitions Control Act, must have in conflict with any foreign nation that they would carry out transactions with the "enemy" at their own risk.

If violations are found by the G-men, prosecution would be brought by the National Munitions Control Board.

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# LLOYD GEORGE SAYS: FRANCE HOPES FOR PEACE

## HITLER'S TERMS SHOULD BE ACCEPTED, HE DECLARES

By DAVID LLOYD GEORGE  
Prime Minister of Great Britain During the World War  
(World copyright, including March 1936, by Universal Service and Associated Newspapers, Inc. All rights reserved. Reproduction in whole or in part prohibited.)  
London, March 16.—The war is off. Sanctions are by no means certain. Neither is real peace.  
The French have ascertained that even her most ardent friends in Europe shrink from war. They are now for the imposition of economic sanctions. They will not succeed in obtaining the co-operation of all the powers whose help is essential to a blockade.  
The signatories to the Locarno treaty themselves so far have only agreed to administer a scolding to Germany, but they have no idea how to begin tackling the task.  
I have just heard that Germany has accepted, with two conditions, the invitation to send a representative to the League Council in London today.  
Hitler's two conditions seem to me to be fundamentally reasonable. Hitler's conditions do not, in my opinion, derogate from the dignity of the powers and if frankly accepted would lead to European pacification.

Flaund has angrily rejected both conditions, and proposed that, for what reason—and that, I fear, will be grave—must rest with him and with the government which he represents.  
I cannot help feeling that general sentiment, certainly in this country, will be one of deep regret not unaccompanied by a feeling of deep annoyance, that the peace of the world should be thus recklessly jeopardized.  
There is a most complete confusion of counsel everywhere. In this situation there is a muddle of conflicting and incompatible pacifist clamors for peace against Germany.

### Revenge Sought

Nazism has succeeded to ruin against itself a number of nations which are incongruous and which are mutually antagonistic. The Nazi revolution, which is a mixture of imperialism and Socialism, Communism, Liberalism—all alike have been victims of it. In another camp, which is sufficient to the Nazi tramping on liberty, there are many who will not see the Nazi habit of regarding Germany as a victim.

### Sanctions Urged

Last night he advocated abandonment—his word was "suspension"—of the League of Nations sanctions against Italy in order to concentrate on Germany.  
He is ready to embrace his old horror of Soviet Russia and grasp what was once stigmatized as "the hairy hand of that baboon" in his eagerness to destroy remnant German power.  
In spite of these noisy clamors of persons only agreed in their hatred of Germany, the British people as a whole remain unmoved. Tenacious paragraphs published and broadcast on the radio about the numbers of German troops in the Rhineland and the mixture of prejudiced titillations and innuendoes which is inspired by the Germanophile clique in the foreign office have not quickened the British people's sense.

### War Writer, Wife Struck by Bombs

Exploding aerial bombs, dropped by Italian war planes on a Red Cross station in Ethiopia, wounded Union Wells, noted newspaperman, and his wife several times.  
The war correspondent made this revelation today as he and his wife stopped at Boston aboard the American Export liner Exochorda, en route to New York.  
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The latter pact was directed against Germany. It had no other point.

The contrast between the French promptness in demanding action against Hitler's offense and the dilatory tactics employed over the Germanophile business is inspiring the moral force of France's appeal. That is why the great mass of people are all moved by the present display of righteous indignation at the occupation of German territory by German troops in defiance of treaties which France

## Ice Floes Wreck Storehouse—Carried Miles by Flood



The pressure of grinding ice borne by roaring flood waters of the Kennebec river crushed this storehouse in Richmond, Me., almost to pulp. The huge cakes of ice may be seen floating under one corner of the building, already demolished by the impact of the floc. When this picture was taken, the flood had carried the large building miles downstream from its foundation. A few seconds later the waters again started building on its downstream voyage.

## 5 Italian War Fliers Killed

Rome, March 16 (AP)—General Pietro Badoglio advised his government today in a communique from the northern Ethiopian front that five members of an Italian aviation corps had been killed when the machine fell inside his own lines.  
Addis Ababa, March 16 (TNS)—Two Ethiopian armies totaling 10,000 men, those of Ras Kassa and Ras Seyoum, are still intent and occupy the western Trench region, a government statement, denying Italian claims of immense victories, declared today.

## VATICAN BACKS PACT SANCTITY

Vatican City, March 16 (AP)—The Vatican newspaper, *Osservatore Romano*, today expressed to the nations to regard the sanctity of treaties.  
Quoting an old Latin saying that national policy is the supreme law, the newspaper said that, in international affairs, a treaty guaranteed by inviolable reciprocal faith brings public safety for all nations and thus becomes a common interest.

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## French Rush More Troops As New War Crisis Grows

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for equality, but flatly rejected his "condition" that the council must discuss his peace proposals.  
Hitler had offered to accept a representative to the council's deliberations on Germany's demilitarization of the Rhineland only on a basis of full equality in the conference and with the understanding that his recent offer of new peace proposals would be considered.

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most precarious position in Maine. It is raining there. The temperature is in the middle forties, and a 20-mile ice jam is piled up between West Bethel and Oldtown, a few miles up the Penobscot from the city.  
Six huge dams, each a thousand or so feet wide, must sustain a terrific battering should the ice field—estimated at 8,000,000 tons—break loose.  
Army engineers fear that the ice jam may cause ice to pile up in the Penobscot, a duplication of conditions to the north and north-east. They expect to dynamite below Saco Falls to break the ice jam there.  
Maine, according to Governor Louis B. Russell, has already paid \$100,000 in flood damage. In Massachusetts, however, flood waters were receding, but the colossal inundation from rivers and brooks has caused meadows and lowlands to reach saturation.  
Because the waters from the Charles and Neponset rivers are not draining from the meadows and around Dedham today, water is rising again in streets and cellars.  
High street, Dedham, one of the main arteries into the city, was under a foot and a half of water and the public highway part had to erect temporary wooden bridges to accommodate traffic into Dedham again.

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## 5 Italian War Fliers Killed

Rome, March 16 (AP)—General Pietro Badoglio advised his government today in a communique from the northern Ethiopian front that five members of an Italian aviation corps had been killed when the machine fell inside his own lines.  
Addis Ababa, March 16 (TNS)—Two Ethiopian armies totaling 10,000 men, those of Ras Kassa and Ras Seyoum, are still intent and occupy the western Trench region, a government statement, denying Italian claims of immense victories, declared today.

## VATICAN BACKS PACT SANCTITY

Vatican City, March 16 (AP)—The Vatican newspaper, *Osservatore Romano*, today expressed to the nations to regard the sanctity of treaties.  
Quoting an old Latin saying that national policy is the supreme law, the newspaper said that, in international affairs, a treaty guaranteed by inviolable reciprocal faith brings public safety for all nations and thus becomes a common interest.

### Sanctions Urged

Last night he advocated abandonment—his word was "suspension"—of the League of Nations sanctions against Italy in order to concentrate on Germany.  
He is ready to embrace his old horror of Soviet Russia and grasp what was once stigmatized as "the hairy hand of that baboon" in his eagerness to destroy remnant German power.  
In spite of these noisy clamors of persons only agreed in their hatred of Germany, the British people as a whole remain unmoved. Tenacious paragraphs published and broadcast on the radio about the numbers of German troops in the Rhineland and the mixture of prejudiced titillations and innuendoes which is inspired by the Germanophile clique in the foreign office have not quickened the British people's sense.

### War Writer, Wife Struck by Bombs

Exploding aerial bombs, dropped by Italian war planes on a Red Cross station in Ethiopia, wounded Union Wells, noted newspaperman, and his wife several times.  
The war correspondent made this revelation today as he and his wife stopped at Boston aboard the American Export liner Exochorda, en route to New York.  
His wife was struck three times during an air raid but, fortunately, the wounds were trivial, Wells said.

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# 'Loves of the Princes Mdivani'

## LUCKLESS HOUSE REARS 3 SONS

### Death Claims Two

This is the first article in a series tracing the course of the Luckless House of Mdivani, particularly of the three colorful princelings of that noted Georgian family, elevated to the Russian peerage in 1752. Two are now dead, victims of tragic mishaps. The sons of Luckless House have been reduced to one.

By PAUL WHELTON

Official life in Russia at the turn of the century was lived lavishly, colorfully, brilliantly.

Nicholas was in power, Communism had scarcely reared its head, the tsarists were the only subversives threatening the aristocrats—and there were the grim, frozen sweeps of Siberia for the anti-Carist agitators.

For those favored by the court of Nicholas there were wealth and station and tremendous influence—and one of those so favored was General Zakhari Mdivani, who later was to become aide-de-camp to the Czar during the World War, but who, at the century's turn, was a junior officer in the Russian army.

Thus there was rejoicing when, into the house of Zakhari Mdivani, came a second son, to bear the name Serge Mdivani and to inherit as his birthright the title of princeling.

It was the year 1902, and Serge, 24 years afterward, was to meet a violent death on a field far removed from the Georgian town of Batumi in the Russian province of Tiflis.

Before him, his younger brother, who arrived in the House of Mdivani in 1892, was to be killed in an automobile accident in Spain.

And long before either of these two tragedies, even before the Duke Mdivani brothers had been of Hollywood in America and had thought of marrying, the family fortune was to be seized and the luck of the House of Mdivani was to start its fabled decline.

Three sons and two daughters came to all George Mdivani and his great wife—David, Serge and Boris, the sons in the order of their birth.

#### Born in Russia

The daughters are Mrs. Charles D'Amico, wife of a famed international lawyer and Miss Josephine Serf, wife of a Spanish mural painter.

The male side of the family was noted for reckless daring.

Although the family had been noted now and again it is fairly well established that the family was elevated to the so-called peerage in 1752 for heroic service in the wars of the Czar in the small principality of Georgia.

Georgia in 1802 became a Russian province.

During the war General Mdivani was close associate and confidant of the Czar serving as his personal aide from the start until the Bolshevik revolution cut Nicholas from the throne and his life.

The boys' father later served as secretary of war in the Georgian National government. Then he removed his family to Paris.

Princes Serge and David arrived in the United States just 18 years ago, mere youths when their fortunes had been practically obliterated by the confiscations of the Bolsheviks.

Both arrived here under the financial and professional patronage of Marshall Z. Crane, millionaire Massachusetts paper magnate, who had become acquainted with their father in Paris.

The boys were determined to be "on their own." At the same time they were determined to make the most of their father's famous educational opportunities.

Studied at Andover

Both enrolled at historic Phillips Academy, Andover, Massachusetts after spending several months in the Crane home at Dalton, Massachusetts.

At Andover the two young Princes washed dishes, waited on table and the thousand and one other tasks required of those who desire to claim their tuition, board and room bills.

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David married blonde and vivacious Max Murray, Serge became the husband of Pola Negri. The

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## Ex-Wives Sad For Mdivani

Buffalo, N. Y., March 16 (INS)—"It's terrible! It just doesn't seem possible!"

That did Mary McCormick, opera star and former wife of Prince Serge Mdivani, respond to the news of his death on a Florida polo field yesterday.

The singer was scheduled to give a concert here tonight but cancelled it when she learned of Mdivani's death.

Berlin, March 16 (AP)—Pola Negri, first wife of Prince Serge Mdivani, expressed sorrow today at his death in a polo accident in Florida.

"What a dreadful thing to happen to Prince Alexei's death," she exclaimed. "We remained great friends. I am deeply sorry."

union of David and Max soon ended in divorce.

Pola and Serge led a stormy existence and reconciliations ended finally in a Paris divorce court last year.

With the married actress obtaining her freedom, two weeks after the divorce Serge married Mary McCormick, the singer.

This ended in 1933 with Miss McCormick obtaining a divorce. Soon Serge announced that he was through for a "long, long while."

The promise lasted until February 8 of this year when Serge married the 25-year-old divorced wife of his younger brother Alexei.

Alexei arrived in America in 1929 to follow in the footsteps of his illustrious brother. He was entertained at the Newport home of the Van Alen and in June of that year he was engaged to Louise was announced.

Later in the summer the young couple were married in a ceremony at the home of the bride's aunt, who had been married to a Russian nobleman.

Difficulties developed in a few months culminating in a Holland divorce in 1931.

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## PONY KILLS MDIVANI

### Kicks After Polo Fall Fatal

Palm Beach, Fla., March 16.—Princes Louise Van Alen Mdivani, New England bride of Prince Serge Mdivani, was in collapse here today in the fatal fall from a polo pony.

There was a sickening crash and Mdivani was thrown head first to the ground.

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## Serge About to Climb Pony

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First Grange of the Bureau of Fisheries originally planned a frog jump but principals were heard that as jumpers bullfinches were not so hot.

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## GLAMOROUS EPISODES IN ROYAL LIVES

## ELSA Tosses Movie ORCHIDS

### MARION DAVIES 'MOST POPULAR'

New York, March 16 (INS)—Elsa Maxwell wanted a kiss and a handful of superlatives to Hollywood today—"sweet, unspilled Hollywood."

Miss Maxwell, who, for lo, these many months, has contentedly devoted herself to heightening the gaiety of nations, tossed her first superlative to Marlene Dietrich.

"Miss Dietrich, without doubt," said society's best and favorite party promoter, "is the only real glamorous person in Hollywood. They aren't glamorous. They're just rich."

Why? Well, like all glamor, Miss Dietrich is indefinable. Miss Maxwell also unfolded what she termed a "sneak preview" of why the Marlene walked off the Paramount lot leaving that studio with about \$500,000 worth of uncompleted film story.

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## 5-10 Heiress Rabbits, 'Hoppers, Frogs Will Jump To Rob Her

Washington, March 16 (AP)—It won't be long now until the world will know whether a bullfinch can jump farther than a grasshopper.

First Grange of the Bureau of Fisheries originally planned a frog jump but principals were heard that as jumpers bullfinches were not so hot.

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## Lawyer 23 Years, Indicted Sweeps Backer Kills Self

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 16 (AP)—Freshman Thomas D. Fletcher of the University of Chattanooga arrested to be in line for some kind of a prize today. He is 23 years old.

Former school teacher, and son of a prominent family, Fletcher was indicted for the murder of a woman.

The university's only freshman with whippers.

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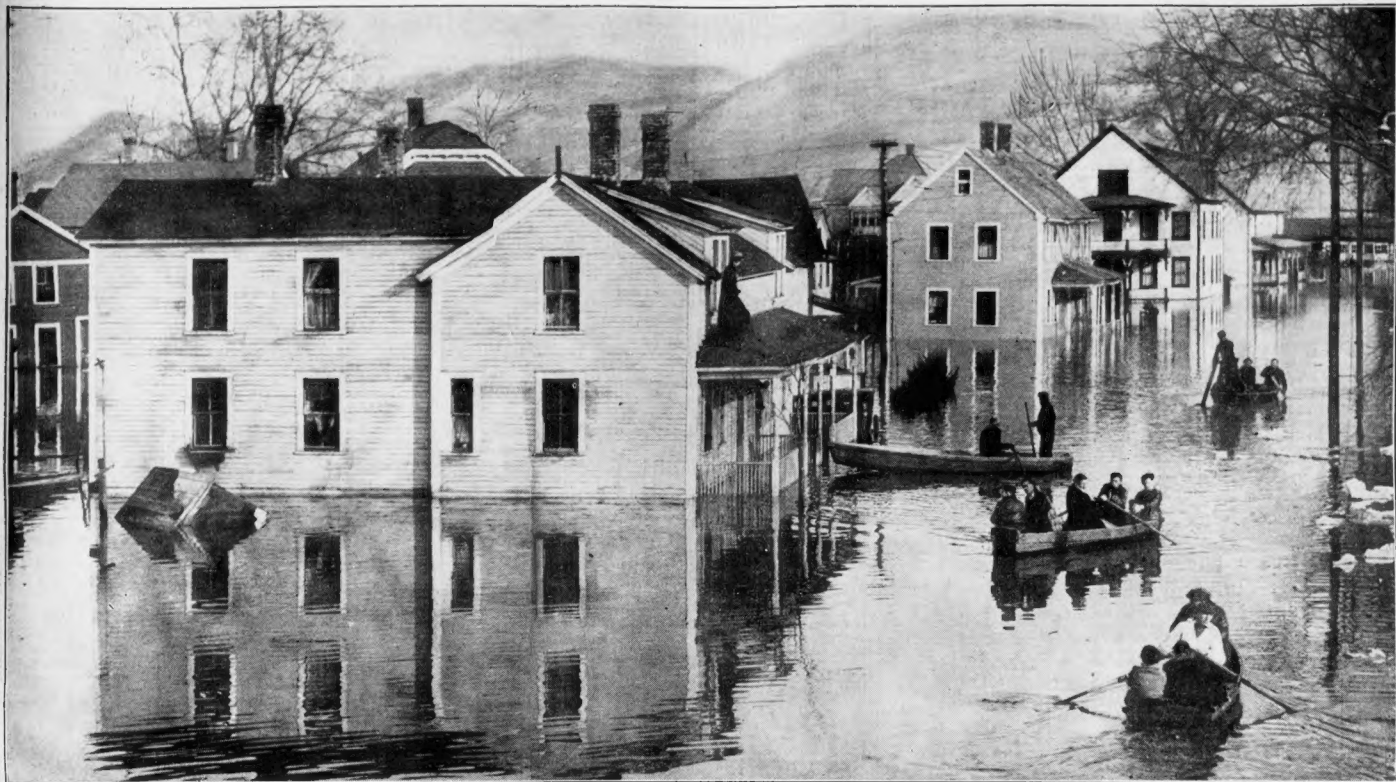
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# FLOOD SUFFERERS MAKE WAY TO CHURCH IN SMALL BOATS



SUNDAY MORNING IN NORTHAMPTON—It takes more than the worst flood in years to stop the residents of Northampton from attending church. With homes on Hockanum road individual islands in a flood lake boats were the only possible means of transportation. The scene shown above truly takes on the aspect of an American Venice. Notice particularly the boat which is

seemingly headed for the front parlor of the home in the foreground. This picture gives an excellent idea of the depth water reached in many cities. Many were the prayers offered in churches here for relief from flood dangers. Youngsters enjoyed flood, but to their parents it meant suffering and loss of property.



NO LOOTING HERE—National Guardsmen were called out in Gardiner, Me., one of the hardest hit flood cities, to safeguard homes and stores from looting after menace of raging waters had caused hundreds to flee. Albert Albee of Company M is shown above doing patrol duty in the business section as citizens look on with interest at the unusual sight. Gardiner suffered tremendous property damage from flood waters of the Kennebec.



IT'S GOING TO BE A LONG, HARD JOB!—This scene, showing workmen clearing Water street, Gardiner, Me., of the huge ice cakes left by the receding flood waters of the Kennebec, is being enacted all over New England today. Men are shown bottling debris with pick and shovel in a desperate effort to

get traffic through as quickly as possible. But it will be many months before flood-damaged roadbeds can be repaired. Literally tons of ice cakes are shown in the picture above. Gardiner was extremely hard hit when the waters of the Kennebec went on the rampage.

(Picture from International News Photograph Service)











## 7 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS GAIN O. K.

Seven amendments to the state constitution were reported favorably today by the legislative committee on constitutional law.

The reports will be considered later by a joint session of the legislature.

Two of the amendments seek to change the manner of filling vacancies in the executive cabinet, and two others seek to eliminate the "pauper" section in the election provisions.

Other proposed changes would give cities and towns the right to spend money to attract industries, give the legislature authority to levy excise taxes, and taxes on real estate, and give the legislature the power to limit taxes on real property.

**PAPER PROVISION**  
Senator Charles A. P. McCreary and Rep. Charles H. Morrill, both of Haverhill, are petitioners for elimination of the provision, which prevents paupers from voting at state elections.

Representative Frank L. Floyd of Manchester is petitioner for the amendment to give the Legislature the right to prescribe by law how vacancies in the executive cabinet shall be filled. Another provides for a special election.

**TAX PROPOSALS**  
Representative Rubin of Fall River filed the petition calling for appropriations by cities and towns to spend money to attract industries, while Senator Thomas H. Burke of Boston is petitioner for those giving the General Court power to levy taxes on real estate property and to limit taxes on real estate.

The committee also reported favorably on memorializing Congress in favor of federal aid in the matter of relations with Germany and Mexico.

## 3 SWAMPSCOTT SAFES ROBBED

Safes, practically under the nose of Swampscott police, smashed three safes early today in offices of the Swampscott Town Hall, but gained little loot.

Entrance to the Town Hall, which adjoins the Swampscott police station, less than 50 feet distant, was gained through a rear window on the first floor.

Doors of the tax collector and town clerk, the town treasurer and the park commissioner's offices were jammed and the knobs of the safes knocked off, apparently with a sledge hammer.

Town Treasurer James A. Libbey declared there had been no money in his safe, and Ralph Merrill, town clerk and tax collector, and Leonard Burdett, park commissioner, said there was little of value in theirs, although they could not state definitely what was gone until they had made a complete check.

## Borah and Knox Battle in Illinois

Chicago, March 16 (AP)—Senator William E. Borah and Col. Frank Knox, seeking the endorsement of the state voters in the April 14 primary, climb into the ring this week to begin their only scheduled test of strength as rival aspirants to the Republican presidential candidacy.

Col. Knox, who last week said "our chief concern is to win the Illinois primary," starts a six-city speaking tour downtown on Wednesday. Senator Borah invades the state Saturday.

## Elevator Strikers Return to Jobs

New York, March 16 (AP)—Building service employees returned to their old posts today, with charges by the union that 400 men had been refused reinstatement.

Union headquarters announced that 22 relief firms had "licked out" from 1 to 20 workers when they reported this morning and that 300 strikers staged a demonstration at London Terrace, one of the city's largest apartment buildings, in protest against the management's alleged refusal to reinstate 20 of their number.

## CONSTIPATED After Her First Baby Finds Relief

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She had given up hope of finding relief from her constipation until she learned of the famous Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

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## House Eyes Election Landon Gaining Wide Following

By GEORGE BOWEN BROWN  
Washington, March 16 (U.S.)—A confidential preferential poll of the Republican House members, that is being taken by Republicans themselves, and is now nearing completion, reveals most strikingly the nation-wide extent of the following which Governor Alf M. Landon has gained in the country at large, without neglecting his duties as governor of Kansas, to stump the country for delegates.

The poll thus far is said to reflect an 80 per cent preference for the Kansas governor on the part of the 100 members on the Republican side of the House, many of whom are from states which are supporting other men.

The significant thing about the poll, which has been under way for nearly a week, is that it is a confirmation of reports from various parts of the country from leading Republicans.

A part of the feeling among Republicans already in Congress that Governor Landon embodies most of the attributes which opponents of the New Deal everywhere are coming to regard as essential, grows out of the fact that the Kansas governor is being urged to endanger party harmony by his participation in an active campaign.

**Popularity**  
Republicans in Congress continually are influenced in their expression of preference for Governor Landon by reports of his strength and popularity.

Governor Landon is the anti-socialist choice of a purely agricultural state in the Middle West with great pride in the immediate agricultural region of which "no state is more so."

Yet Governor Landon without making the slightest personal effort, but for reasons wholly psychological, and almost far-fetched, has become the national candidate in states of diversified industries of the rapidly growing opposition.

## Agawam Decision Deferred by Court

Judge George C. Sweeney in the Federal District court today continued until March 30 the hearing of the petitioners for the reorganization of the Agawam Racing and Breeders' Association, Inc.

The continuance was granted after one of the petitioners announced that an attorney representing a number of stockholders was vacationing in Florida.

In announcing the continuance, Judge Sweeney said: "If the plans submitted on March 30 do not take care of all claims I will on that date consider turning the entire matter over to an auditor."

According to creditors claims now on file amount to more than \$150,000.

This includes a federal maximum tax of several thousand dollars.

The new plan to pay off creditors was filed on March 16.

## Summer School For Choir Planned

A summer choir school to be established on the north shore of Lake Michigan will be discussed by Dr. H. Augustine Smith of Boston University's college of music, a meeting of the Northwestern University choir leaders today in Chicago.

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## LANDON LEADS IN OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma City, March 16 (AP)—With many leaders outspoken for Cleveland delegates instructed to Governor Alf M. Landon of Kansas for President, Oklahoma Republicans came here today to decide whether the majority of the State delegation would be pledged to the Kansas.

James E. Crawford, Oklahoma City, was scheduled to head the resolutions committee and sound the call for Landon.

Leading the fight for Landon instructed delegates were W. O. Skelly, national committeeman, and Lew Wentz.

Six of the 15 national convention delegates named at district conventions have been instructed to vote for Landon, and nine are uncommitted. The six delegates-at-large to be named today complete the delegation. Landon is the only person endorsed by any district.

A group of delegates led by E. E. Drake, Oklahoma City, and joined by a scattering of supporters of Senator Borah and Colonel Frank Knox, held a protest meeting late last night. Most of the fire, however, was directed at so-called "unofficial" commanders of the party and Landon was not an issue.

**Woman, 58, Missing**  
Missing since last Friday night, Mrs. R. Duane Lee, 58, of Washington street, Marblehead was being sought by police there today.

**Solid Personality**  
He has a receptive mind. He listens well, speaks frankly. He has an opinion freely. Few leave him and he sits all day in his door—without carrying away with them a vivid impression of a singularly solid personality.

These plirigrams to Topeka have been going on now for quite a long time. Impressions of the governor have naturally been carried everywhere. This explains why one will hear Governor Landon of Kansas, spokes of with such understanding in states where he has been. Kansas has been a sealed book.

No one who is a Republican in Congress, whose own fortunes depend largely upon their stand and bearing in November, are showing such marked interest in the governor of Kansas.

## HAGOOD SILENT AUGUST

Charleston, S. C., March 16 (UPI)—"I have no intention of saying anything in regard to my personal affairs, the press."

In this statement, Major General Hagood, ousted as commander of the Eighth Corps Area for his outspoken criticism of government spending, greeted reporters upon his arrival here.

The officer, who was ordered to Charleston to "await orders," was not at the station by his sister, Mrs. R. Duane Lee, with whom he will stay here. He said he did not know how long he would be in Charleston.

General Hagood was accompanied by Major C. C. Minus, retired, of San Antonio, a former West Point classmate. Both wore civilian clothes.

General Hagood said he would respond to a letter "to the State of South Carolina" at a St. Paul, Minn., meeting of the Century old Hibernian Society tomorrow night, but would not discuss current events.

**3 Die in Mexican Clash**  
Mexico City, March 16 (AP)—Three Americans were reported today to have been killed during the weekend in isolated clashes with authorities.

## New Deal Administration Might Learn From Kansas

FROM THE PATERSON (N. J.) CALL  
It would be an excellent idea if the Congress of the United States were to adjourn for a month or two and undertake an "investigation" of the fiscal policies of Kansas, or if it can't spare the time to do this then it could invite Governor Landon before it and learn something about economical and efficient governmental practices.

Kansas has no state debt. It has a fine road system developed on the "pay-as-you-go" plan, and saves all other public improvements. It has a fine, new capitol building. It has first class schools. And it has few of the special or nuisance taxes that afflict most other commonwealths.

Today American people of all occupations and all income levels are coming to realize that their greatest enemy is high taxation and that their greatest problem is taxation.

The federal government has been spending about twice its receipts for the past five or more years, and apparently there is no end to it, judging from the spending plans that are being discussed. The result has been frightened capital, discouraged investors, industrial retrogression, unemployment and foreclosures.

Kansas not went through the depression and its agricultural population had no easier time as the population of industrial states. Yet, notwithstanding this, Kansas, with uniformity its pay-as-you-go policy, doing without things which it could not afford.

## SPINAL DEATHS MOUNT TO 27

Two more deaths from spinal meningitis occurred today in Boston, increasing the total deaths from this disease this year in Massachusetts to 27.

Harry Cohen, 34, of 38 Ransom road, Brighton, died at Beth Israel hospital, and Herbert Sweet, 68, a former resident of Roxbury, died at Long Island hospital.

Sweet's death was the 15th among inmates and employees of the city institution.

Andrew Daglino, 32, of 2 South street, Somerville, is on the danger list at Holmes Memorial hospital, and Charles Daley, 50, of Lilbourn street, Dorchester, is on the danger list at City hospital.

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Francis P. "Tip" O'Neill, one of the ace reporters for the American and Sunday Advertiser, relates this gripping story of "The Diary Killer of Lynn."

Other stories in the series will be written by reporters whose by-lines are equally familiar throughout New England.

By FRANCIS P. "TIP" O'NEILL

As yet undiscovered, the bullet-riddled body of an old man was lying, stark and still, on the Lynn marshlands, that April night.

The night sky stared up at stars half veiled by scudding clouds—clouds driven by an icy wind which howled banishes-like across the tide flats.

Safely sheltered from that wind, if not from thoughts of what was concealed by the gale-blown marsh, a murderer was sitting at a writing desk in a Boston hotel room.

It was done, what no murderer should ever do.

He was making an entry in a diary.

First, he put the date down:

"April 11, 1935."

Then, in columns he wrote:

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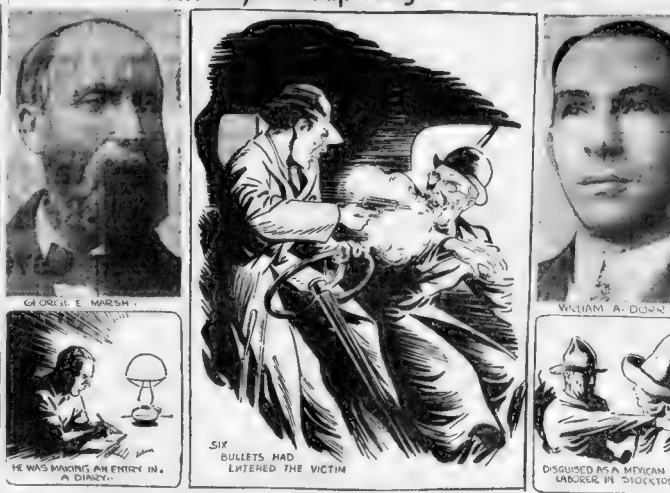
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## THE DIARY KILLER OF LYNN

## When Lynn Soap King Met His Fate



HE WAS MAKING AN ENTRY IN A DIARY.

SIX BULLETS HAD LATERED THE VICTIM.

DISGUISED AS A MEXICAN LABORER IN STOCKTON, CAL.

GOD BLESSED HIM AND PROTECT HIM FROM ALL HARM.

HE FELT IT NOT ONLY MY DUTY BUT THE ONLY PLEASURE I HAVE IN PROTECTING HIM (THE MAN) AGAINST THE SHARKS IN WHOM I TRUST HIM.

IT WAS HIS DUTY, MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE, WHICH EVENTUALLY SENT WILLIAM A. DORR TO THE CHARTERED STATE PRISON.

IT WAS A STRANGE, FANTASTIC DOCUMENT.

MUCH OF ITS CONTENTS APPEARED OBVIOUSLY TO HAVE BEEN WRITTEN WITH INTENT TO CONVEY AN IMPRESSION OF SOCIAL UNBALANCE.

OTHER PARTS SEEMED TO HAVE BEEN REWRITTEN FROM ORIGINAL NOTES IN ANOTHER FORM.

BUT, TAKEN FROM START TO FINISH, THE DIARY TOLD A STORY WHICH NO JURY COULD FAIL TO INTERPRET CORRECTLY.

IT IS A STORY WHICH WAS ALL THE CLEARER, WHEN SUPPLEMENTED BY EVIDENCE BROUGHT FORWARD BY THE PROSECUTION TO SHOW THAT DORR WAS THE LEAST PART OF HIS AGE AND ALL THE LONG.

ACCORDING TO GOVERNMENT WITNESSES, DORR HAD REASON TO SUSPECT THAT THE DEATH OF "SOAP KING" MARCH, THE TRUSTEE, WOULD AT ONE CORNER TO ORPHA MARCH, THE WHOLE PRINCIPAL OF HER ORIGINAL \$100,000 INHERITANCE.

DORR'S BITTERNESS OVER WHAT HE THOUGHT WAS ATTEMPTED AT SHARP DEALING ON THE PART OF "SOAP KING" MARCH AND OTHERS WAS ALSO EVIDENT IN THE DIARY.

DAMNATIONLY EXPLICIT, TOO, WERE HIS DESCRIPTIONS OF HIS OWN PATIENT VIGILS NEAR MARCH'S RESIDENCE.

CORRESPONDING PERFECTLY WITH DORR'S, THE LATTER HAD EVEN NOTED, IN HIS DIARY, THE SUPPORTED ACCUSATIONS OF CHARGING WILLIAM A. DORR WITH THE KILLING.

ALL ACROSS THE CONTINENT, WHEN WERE FISHING THE "WANTED" BOARDS.

REWARDS TOTALING \$2500 HAD BEEN OFFERED FOR ARREST AND CONVICTION OF THE SLAYER.

OF THIS \$2500, THE BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN HAD PUBLISHED THE FOLLOWING:

ON APRIL 17, DORR WAS ARRESTED IN STOCKTON, CAL.

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Barrymore in  
New Radio Setting

By N. F. T.

Those who read here on Saturday afternoon the Boston Evening American, will have seen a notice of the first time that the famous actor, Sir John Barrymore, had appeared on the radio.

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## TODAY'S RADIO TIMETABLE OF PROGRAMS—MONDAY, MARCH 16

800 K-WEE—500 M. 890 K-WZ—30 M. 1220 K-WAD—24 M. 1410 K-WAB—21 M. 1500 K-WMZ—19 M. 830 K-WHD—31 M.

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|-------|----------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|---------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|------------------|
| 5:00  | Al Pearce and Gang.  | 5:10  | Fred and Helen Post.  | 5:20  | Benabell School.     | 5:30  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 5:40  | Fred and Helen Post. | 5:50  | Benabell School. |
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| 5:30  | Tom Mix, sketch.     | 5:40  | Singing Lady.         | 5:50  | Jack Armstrong.      | 6:00  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 6:10  | Fred and Helen Post. | 6:20  | Benabell School. |
| 5:45  | Bette Bloor, sketch. | 5:55  | Sketch.               | 6:05  | Dick Tracy.          | 6:15  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 6:25  | Fred and Helen Post. | 6:35  | Benabell School. |
| 6:00  | Checkboard.          | 6:10  | Supper Show.          | 6:20  | News.                | 6:30  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 6:40  | Fred and Helen Post. | 6:50  | Benabell School. |
| 6:15  | Harmony Twins.       | 6:25  | Sport Briefs.         | 6:35  | Yankee Singers.      | 6:45  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 6:55  | Fred and Helen Post. | 7:05  | Benabell School. |
| 6:45  | The Three Strands.   | 6:55  | Lewell Thomas.        | 7:05  | Radio Roundups.      | 7:15  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 7:25  | Fred and Helen Post. | 7:35  | Benabell School. |
| 7:00  | Amos 'n Andy.        | 7:10  | Renny Harbo.          | 7:20  | Jack Warner's Music. | 7:30  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 7:40  | Fred and Helen Post. | 7:50  | Benabell School. |
| 7:15  | Amos 'n Andy.        | 7:25  | Amos 'n Andy.         | 7:35  | Amos 'n Andy.        | 7:45  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 7:55  | Fred and Helen Post. | 8:05  | Benabell School. |
| 7:30  | After Dinner Revue.  | 7:40  | Lou and Abner.        | 7:50  | Singing Sam, songs.  | 8:00  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 8:10  | Fred and Helen Post. | 8:20  | Benabell School. |
| 7:45  | Musical Monarchs.    | 7:55  | J. Herrick, songs.    | 8:05  | Booker Carter.       | 8:15  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 8:25  | Fred and Helen Post. | 8:35  | Benabell School. |
| 8:00  | Musical Hall.        | 8:10  | Fisher McGee-Molly.   | 8:20  | Gay Lombardo Music.  | 8:30  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 8:40  | Fred and Helen Post. | 8:50  | Benabell School. |
| 8:15  | Musical Hall.        | 8:25  | Musical Hall.         | 8:35  | Musical Hall.        | 8:45  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 8:55  | Fred and Helen Post. | 9:05  | Benabell School. |
| 8:30  | Nelson Eddy.         | 8:40  | Evening in Paris.     | 8:50  | Evening in Paris.    | 9:00  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 9:10  | Fred and Helen Post. | 9:20  | Benabell School. |
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| 9:00  | Herkie's Organ.      | 9:10  | Musical Show.         | 9:20  | Radio Theatre.       | 9:30  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 9:40  | Fred and Helen Post. | 9:50  | Benabell School. |
| 9:15  | Herkie's Organ.      | 9:25  | Musical Show.         | 9:35  | Musical Show.        | 9:45  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 9:55  | Fred and Helen Post. | 10:05 | Benabell School. |
| 9:30  | Sigmund Romberg.     | 9:40  | Tale of Today, drama. | 9:50  | Radio Theatre.       | 10:00 | Al Pearce and Gang. | 10:10 | Fred and Helen Post. | 10:20 | Benabell School. |
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| 10:00 | Continued Here.      | 10:10 | To Be Announced.      | 10:20 | To Be Announced.     | 10:30 | Al Pearce and Gang. | 10:40 | Fred and Helen Post. | 10:50 | Benabell School. |
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| 10:30 | Net Radio Forum.     | 10:40 | Sec. of Inter. Lchs.  | 10:50 | Dramatization.       | 11:00 | Al Pearce and Gang. | 11:10 | Fred and Helen Post. | 11:20 | Benabell School. |
| 10:45 | Net Radio Forum.     | 10:55 | Specifics.            | 11:05 | Specifics.           | 11:15 | Al Pearce and Gang. | 11:25 | Fred and Helen Post. | 11:35 | Benabell School. |
| 11:00 | Weather Report.      | 11:10 | Weather Report.       | 11:20 | Jack Deany's Music.  | 11:30 | Al Pearce and Gang. | 11:40 | Fred and Helen Post. | 11:50 | Benabell School. |
| 11:15 | Musical Tunes.       | 11:25 | Jack Deany's Music.   | 11:35 | Jack Deany's Music.  | 11:45 | Al Pearce and Gang. | 11:55 | Fred and Helen Post. | 12:05 | Benabell School. |
| 11:30 | Ed Cavellito.        | 11:40 | Glen Gray's Music.    | 11:50 | Jack Deany's Music.  | 12:00 | Al Pearce and Gang. | 12:10 | Fred and Helen Post. | 12:20 | Benabell School. |
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| 12:15 | Phil Lester's Music. | 12:25 | Hotel St. Regis.      | 12:35 | Hal Kemp's Music.    | 12:45 | Al Pearce and Gang. | 12:55 | Fred and Helen Post. | 1:05  | Benabell School. |
| 12:30 | Don Baylen's Music.  | 12:40 | Phil Ohman's Music.   | 12:50 | O. Knap's Music.     | 1:00  | Al Pearce and Gang. | 1:10  | Fred and Helen Post. | 1:20  | Benabell School. |



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# WILSON LIKES MINTON

## Successful Fight Deserves Puff

By Bob Abram

Los Smith's successful fight to regain control of Rockingham is worthy of praise.

Smith was the pioneer of legal, fast parimutuel in this state and it is only right that he should receive a puff. He is a well known figure in the racing world and his success in the past few years has been a source of pride to many. He is a man of great energy and determination and his success in the past few years has been a source of pride to many.

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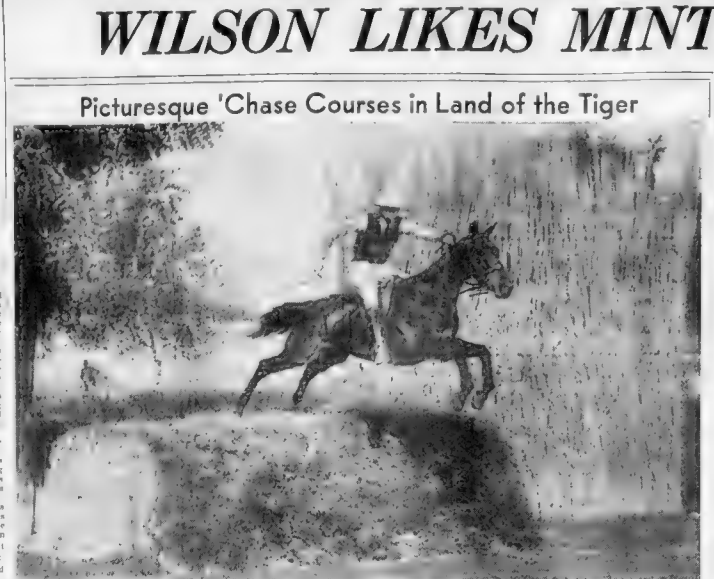
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IN A SETTING that looks like a stage back drop and could be wears a tape and is in shirt sleeves out of respect of the burning sun of "Mother India."

# SOX WILL WIN, CORUM PROPHESES

## TIGERS DUE FOR LETDOWN

By Bill Corum

New York, March 16—Inspiration writers and talkers are forever telling us that money won't buy happiness. And they may be as correct as a gent in striped pants and a cutaway coat at a wedding.

We've never had enough money to find out, although we've contrived to be reasonably happy.

There definitely are some things, however, that money won't buy, and one of them is a pennant won baseball team.

That's the story, and isn't it? You think that an owner who bought enough George and Deane and Ruth and Cobb would have nothing to worry over, save getting to the park in time to see his team win.

My good friend, Tom Yawkey, the multi-millionaire lumberman, who has been trying the whole experiment in Boston these past few seasons, could tell you this.

There is no doubt in this writer's mind at least that Boston has a very strong chance of winning the pennant this season.

I agree with Joe McCarthy that the Sox don't look powerful enough to overcome the three-pennant crowd just yet.

Only the truly great teams of the game have crashed through three times running, and if these Tigers are a truly great team, they've been going to ball games for 20 years for nothing.

For while it doesn't look like a money won't buy a pennant, it does look like a money won't buy a pennant.

Chiefly by the appointment of Sox.

# Worcester Poly Has Green Nine

## BEST On Tropical MENU

By Will Connell

Worcester, March 16—A coaches' paradise seemed Worcester Polytech to the college sports teachers who read of the Institute's 35 "athletic scholarships" a year ago.

From the heart of the Commonwealth pulsed a red-hot tale about the little school of Worcester, where the 2000 youngsters would be welcomed each Autumn, with strong backs and durable legs the tokens of eligibility.

Even lighter, veterans had cash at Polytech, now would be entering a golden age of conquest and fame but for a minor error the year was upon us.

Truth was, and is, just this: Polytech for years had 35 scholarships awarded each year after competitive examination. Drawing to make the awards on a broader basis, with character and personality rated, the old examination system was dropped.

By Dave Wilson  
BEST BET—MINTON  
Tropical Park, Fla., March 16—Shandon Farm's Minton, partial to the local racing oval, shaper of the safest hazard of the eight-race program of sport this afternoon.

Minton ran a bang-up third to Phidias and Pake the other day and of this effort should come home the winner in the third stanza, a \$2000 top and \$1000 bottom printers.

Wayne Wright will do the pointing, and this assures a good race.

Old J. Blacken, 3-year-old, being a real horse man, had the benefit of a real horse man in better company, and needs only to run back to brilliant trials in order to graduate.

BLACKEN displayed excellent speed in better company than this, and this assures a good race.

SECOND RACE  
Little Mink, Dark Friend, Legion  
LITTLE MAXIE started clocking out in the light, and this assures a good race.

THIRD RACE  
Caterpillar, Minton, Epibone  
CATERPILLAR, pitted too ambitiously in his recent endeavor, will be out of the race, and this assures a good race.

FOURTH RACE  
Ternace, Frits, Tramp  
TERNACE, fourth to Col. Bear, performed as if a traffic sign, and this assures a good race.

FIFTH RACE  
Grog, Brown Owl, Chase Ray  
GROG, a stake winner at the recent Hialeah season, stands right out in the light, and this assures a good race.

SIXTH RACE  
Clementine, Ukraine, Lida  
CLEMENTINE is ideally suited by all conditions here, and this assures a good race.

SEVENTH RACE  
Home Work, Benares, and Lona Hand  
HOME WORK, BENARES and LONA HAND, are all in the light, and this assures a good race.

EIGHTH RACE  
Bender First, Hurry, Flag of War  
BENDER FIRST, HURRY, FLAG OF WAR, are all in the light, and this assures a good race.

NINTH RACE  
Gene Sarazen and Henry Picard  
GENE SARAZEN and HENRY PICARD, are all in the light, and this assures a good race.

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## MR. BOSTON

**Banner Season Assured at Suffolk**  
**Sharkey Plans Mid-April Fight**

By JACK CONWAY

**SPEAKING OF NEWS:** Alton Wilson tells me he has already made reservations for 1803 thoroughbreds at Suffolk Downs for the summer meeting that opens on June 13 and closes on August 14. This is almost twice as many horses as were at the East Boston track during its summer meeting in 1933.

Wilson says he hopes to have a race upon a long meeting. It is due upon his shipping expenses and gives them a better opportunity to win.

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## Pin Entries To Close Saturday

By Walter Kiley

Five more days to go.

Bowling entries close Saturday.

Mayor Frederick W. Mansfield of Boston today points the last of

summers of trophies for the great

round pin tournament March 30-April 14.

Since going South, Martin has won seven out of eight matches.

And Martin of the South End postcard he will oppose Freddy Miller, world featherweight champion, in a ten-round bout at Birmingham, Ala., on Friday night.

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## FROZE FACTS

**Lester Patrick Grade-A as Seer**  
**Cuba in Danger Of Elimination**

By BILL GRIMES

On his last visit to the Garden, Lester Patrick declared he had a feeling that the battle for the third playoff berth in the American Division would continue until the final meeting between the Rangers and Bruins, which winds up the 1933-34 season.

Apparently, Lester knows the answers. For three weeks now, the Bruins and Rangers have been staying a nip and tuck race for the odd playoff position, and it's safe to predict they will fight it out for another week.

The Bruins, by virtue of the 1-0 victory over the Hawks, retained their one point lead over Rangers, who lost to the Canadiens 2 to 1, but the Hawks have a game "in hand."

Rangers are scheduled to meet the Blackhawks in New York tomorrow night, while the Bruins are playing the Canadiens here at the Garden.

With an opportunity to move into a first place tie with Red Wings, who have lost six and tied one in seven games, the Hawks hope to stop the Bruins.

The Bruins should take the measure of Sylvio Marini's Freshmen, but they have a tough assignment confronting them Thursday when they tackle Maple Leafs in Toronto.

The Leafs are back to second place and are likely to play the Bruins tomorrow night in Montreal.

If the Bruins get by the Canadiens and grab a tie in Toronto, they would qualify for the playoffs, regardless of the outcome of the Sunday night game at the Garden, for Rangers have played and lost twelve of their games against the Bruins' five.

The dressing room there was a note enclosed but, of course, Teddy refused to divulge the name of the sender.

After taking a terrible riding from his teammates, Teddy went out and kept the Bruins' lead in the game, which they won 3 to 1, a peace of mind, were delivered to one of the players.

Little Teddy Graham, who was the hero of the Sabbath game at the Garden, who he won with a sensational goal in the second period, must be unusually appreciative.

Just before the game he was the recipient of a beautiful bouquet of roses, which, unfortunately for his peace of mind, were delivered to one of the players.

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## Final Trials Tonight For N. E.'s

By Murray Kramer

Forty-odd mitt wielders of all descriptions gather at the Arena tonight to throw punches under the auspices of the International Amateur Boxing Association.

There are twenty-four now eligible for the regional title, and eight more tonight must thirty-two. The group, together with selected representatives from Rhode Island and New Hampshire, will go to New York City for the final trials.

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## 'Cigar' Connors to Marry

John "Cigar" Connors of Roxbury, who won the Marathon runner, has entered the marriage ring.

And John, who always does everything with a touch of the "diddle," chose Friday the 13th to tie the matrimonial knot with Miss Jennie May Green of Lawrence, Mass.

What's more, in collaboration with the prospective bride, "Cigar" has decided Friday, November 13, for the marriage.

Just as the irrepressible Mr. Connors has won the race, so he has won the girl. That is what attracted the Miss Green to him.

The prospective bride likes much smoke, as well as dust, must be a smoker. So does the little "Cigar" Connors.

Do not misunderstand, the Miss does not smoke them, but, as she says: "Ah, that sweet herb, tobacco, in case you're not up in your day, it's the World's Champion Cigar Smoker and as such, appeared in the Boston's Believe It Or Not show."

That time, he smoked a mere 150 wends a day. Now, he has reduced his diet to a pitiful 20 cigars a day.

"Cigar" has been smoking since he was 13. That is what he has been doing for the last 20 years.

## MEIRICK To Be Honored TONIGHT

Boston pays homage to Charlie Meirick tonight.

Hundreds of well-wishers who have followed the career of Charlie Meirick, who has been an athlete director at the West End Athletic Club since 1913, will gather at the Boston Garden tonight.

Meirick has been a part of the life of the club since 1913, and has been a part of the life of the club since 1913.

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## A Trip on Jinx Ship

Boston Man's Story of Last Voyage Of the Ill-Starred Tacoma

By FLOYD GIBBONS

HELLO EVERYBODY:

Step up and meet JOHN STANG, ex-seaman, first class, U. S. Navy, now living at 6 Dartmouth street, Boston. It isn't hard for a job to have an adventure—even in peace time, in the year 1924. And it was on January 16th of that year that Jack Stang ran into the tragic experience that nets him ten berries and the rating of Distinguished Member of the Adventurers Club.

It was on the U. S. S. Tacoma that Jack had his adventure. For years the Tacoma had been known as the "jinx ship." Well sir, the Tacoma stayed in character right to the end. The jinx never left it. It wound up its career in one last big splurge of hard luck, and when it went, it came doggone near taking Jack along with it.

It was during one of Mexico's million or so revolutions, and the Tacomas had been ordered to Vera Cruz to protect American lives and property. She steamed southward, and at nine-fifty a. m. on January 16th, the lookout reported the lights of Vera Cruz harbor. The lookout was none other than Jack himself. He'll never forget how those lights looked then—because of what happened almost immediately afterward.

Jack's watch was from 12 to four. That's known as the death watch in the navy. It was the death watch for the old Tacoma—and the last hours of seafaring life for a misfortune-haunted ship. At four o'clock, Jack was relieved and went below. He turned into his bunk, and corked off. It didn't seem that more than two minutes had elapsed when he was thrown to the side of his bunk by a vicious jarring. Then bells began to ring. A siren belled SIGNALS! ARABY SHIP!

"There was no sense in rushing," said Jack, "and no use getting excited. The Tacoma had grounded and settled on some sharp rocks which had pierced the hull and entered the engine room. The weather was too rough to launch a boat on those reefs, and we had to stay aboard all that night and all the next day, until, late in the afternoon small boats were able to come alongside and take the crew off."

Some of the crew, but not all of them. A rebel army of Mexicans were in control of Vera Cruz just then, and if the ship were abandoned, those rebels would be aboard in no time, to take off the guns and ammunition. So a guard of 20 men and the Captain stayed on to stand guard. And Jack Stang was one of the 20 seamen who volunteered to do the job.

The rest of the crew were taken aboard the U. S. S. Richmond, and the Richmond steamed out of the harbor headed for Tampico, leaving behind 20 men to fight the elements and the Mexican rebel army.

That was just the start of things. The Richmond had hardly disappeared from sight when the weather began to get rough again. And that night was the worst nightmare Jack ever experienced in his life. By midnight, the worst blow in years was lashing the reef on which the Tacoma lay. Literally, it was tearing the doomed battleship to shreds. The crew, to a man, was on deck. It wasn't safe to stay below. The wind was rising, and every succeeding wave that washed over the stricken ship was larger than the last.

"It was one of the most terrible scenes I ever witnessed," Jack says. "The radio house was torn from the deck as I watched it, and hurled bodily over the side. Three men were in it when it went. One of them got out. The other two were never heard from again."

That wave had no more than passed when another was on them. It tore a strongbox and carried it across the deck, striding into a group of sailors.

It caught Jack Stang in the pit of the stomach and that blow came near being the end of Jack.

With terrific force he was hurled to the rail. The water, coming along behind, washed him over it.

AND THERE HE HUNG, BY ONE ARM, TO THE SIDE OF THE SHIP, STRUGGLING IN VAIN AGAINST AN ALMOST CONTINUOUS FLOW OF WATER, TO GET BACK ON DECK.

It was the Captain who saved Jack's life—but he sacrificed his own life doing it.

Seeing Jack's plight he dashed to the rail, grabbed Jack's arms, and, bracing himself against the bulwark, hauled him back to the deck. But as Jack fell panting on the safe side of the rail, another huge wave was sweeping across the deck. It tore loose a heavy range finder, pelted it up as if it were a matchbox and threw it on the Captain.

The crew jumped in. "We got the range finder off," says Jack, "but I'll never be able to put in words the sight that met my eyes beneath. The Captain, who, a second before was pulling me back to safety, was nothing but a massed up mass of blood and flesh. I turned away, sick all over. It was only then that I realized that my leg was broken. And what happened after that I don't know, because, for the next 40 hours, I lay in a daze, barely aware that I was alive."

A ship came and took them off, finally, and Jack lay in a hospital at Charleston, S. C., until his leg mended. After that, he was discharged, because—WELL—because that leg didn't heal up perfectly.

"That's the end of my story," Jack says, "and I hope I NEVER speak of it again."

I know how you feel about it, Jack—and thanks for picking me to be the one fellow you DID tell it to.

Tomorrow, boys and girls, there'll be another story. Tune in and get an earful.

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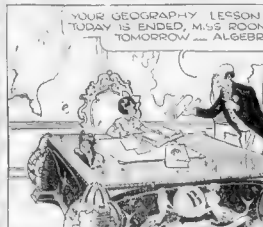
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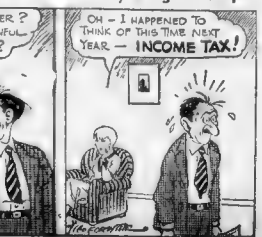
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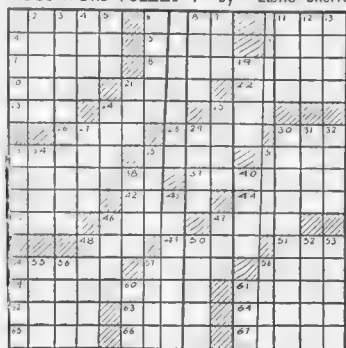




# THIMBLE THEATRE, Starring POPEYE



## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE -- By Etene Sheffer



### HORIZONTAL

- 1—Ship
- 2—Narrow woven fabric
- 3—Sea of Tai Mahal
- 4—A term in baseball
- 5—A net
- 6—A small group
- 7—Oil from rose petals
- 8—On of
- 9—Structure for storage
- 10—Astronomy
- 11—A crest of mountain range
- 12—On type of "babe"
- 13—A size of type
- 14—Can
- 15—Swinging vessel
- 16—Midday
- 17—Feign
- 18—Language of ancient Rome
- 19—Signify
- 20—Plant yielding a drug
- 21—Manifest
- 22—Vapor
- 23—Fastidious
- 24—The direction of sunrise
- 25—Device in electric ignition
- 26—Scripture canticle
- 27—Carry on
- 28—Auscult
- 29—Imagined space
- 30—A wooden peg
- 31—Attachment for surfacing
- 32—Seat

### VERTICAL

- 1—To cut in loose allies
- 2—Tian
- 3—A chunk
- 4—L'fees
- 5—A narrative
- 6—Subject of denounce
- 7—Impermeably sard
- 8—A shorn hair
- 9—Signal sizes of history
- 10—Fruit of the oak
- 11—A tenacious substance
- 12—Bombard
- 13—A term in poker
- 14—Principal
- 15—Tear down
- 16—Language
- 17—Custom
- 18—To cover
- 19—Eject
- 20—Nutritious
- 21—Solid tapering body
- 22—Wrench
- 23—A cotton fabric
- 24—Greedy
- 25—Male of the red deer
- 26—Among
- 27—A particle of matter
- 28—Notched like a saw
- 29—Heated
- 30—Marsh
- 31—Abounding in plant ovules
- 32—Lubricated

### SATURDAY'S ANSWERS:

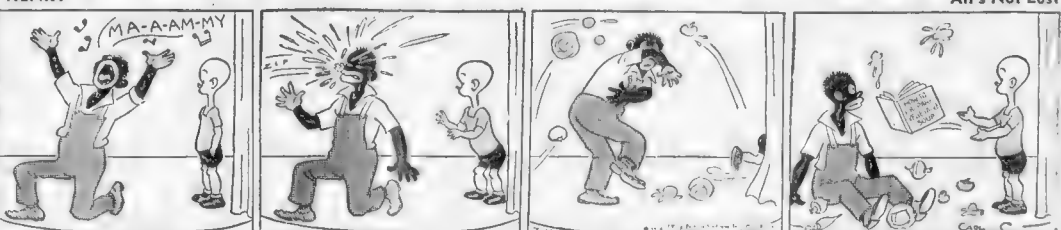
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# BRINGING UP FATHER



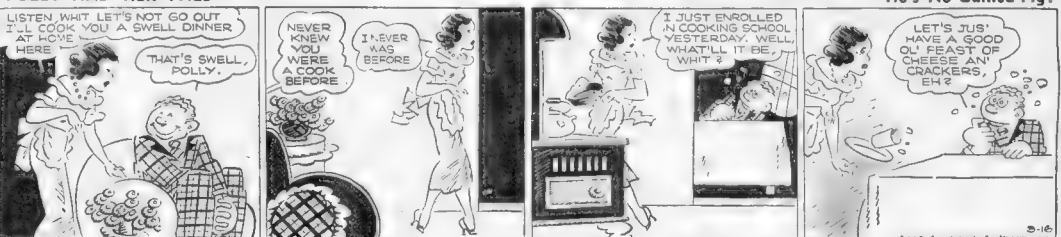
## HENRY



## JUST KIDS



# POLLY AND HER PALS



## SKIPPY



# LITTLE JIMMY



## BLONDIE



## A Helping Hand

WRIGLEY'S ADDS ENJOYMENT!

WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT THE PERFECT GUM

THE FLAVOR LASTS





### LEWIS HANEY ON MARKET

## Higher Stocks Prices Predicted Before Summer

By LEWIS HANEY  
(Professor of Economics, New York University)

New York, March 16.—During the week ended March 14, the stock market was highly irregular, and lost some ground. The composite averages, which include rails and utilities as well as industrial stocks, closed the week from 1½ to 2 points lower than March.

Bonds reacted relatively more sharply than stocks. It was by no means a one-way market, however, and among the most active stocks there were as many which gained as there were which lost. For example, six of the most active stocks—mostly oil, aviation, rubber and utility issues—gained from ½ of a point up to over 5 points during the week. Six other very active stocks lost similar amounts, these being mostly automobile and steel issues.

When nervousness concerning the European situation was somewhat relieved on Saturday, the market rebounded so as to recover more than the ground lost on Friday. In fact, most stocks closed just about where they did a week ago Monday.

As I interpret this reaction, it has been due only in part to the war scare. To be sure the threat of war in Europe was a factor, much as was the case last September and October. It seems fairly clear that a little selling came from abroad, while on this side operations for the rise were checked and some nervous selling was induced.

But as early as February 19 it was apparent that there was some "nervousness" over here. For one thing there has been a belated recognition of the reaction in business which went on in January and February. For another thing, the better students among the large operators on an overnight basis—generally not an acute one, but sufficient to suggest "stepping aside" for a while.

Finally, there have been a number of rather ill-advised moves in the market which needed correction. One was based on the notion that the President's tax proposal would lead to an early distribution of the large surpluses held by some corporations. Nothing of the sort is likely, and the mark-ups which followed the announcement of the tax scheme were not soundly based.

Another was the exaggeration of the notion that railway stocks have been too low. This was helped along by the cold snap which caused a run-up in coal-car loadings. Then, too, remained some liquidation of the notion that the TVA decision would be favorable to the utilities.

In view of all these conditions, the wonder is that the European war scare did not touch off a much more severe reaction than has occurred.

As it is, the composite averages have not broken decisively since February lows. The average of industrial stocks has not gotten to its February low, "Lower resistance levels" are plainly indicated in a number of leading stocks, such as U. S. Steel at 60, Western at just over 75, and DuPont at the little above 145. General Motors still shows a series of lows on reactions which are successively higher.

My day-to-day average of the moves in the 20 most active stocks shows a rise. That is, if one had each day bought and sold stocks which were to be most active, one might have made about a point, despite all the reactions last week.

Another fact that became evident as the week passed, was that "asked prices" were holding up relatively well. The market was down because buyers were fewer and bidders lower, rather than because sellers were dumping their holdings overboard.

In my opinion, Hitler has made his move not with the idea of war, but with the idea that the only way he could do it was with the help of a larger war. My guess is that his scheme will, in this respect, be justified.

While many of the "public" have had a scare, and some have been singing a bit, they are still fluttering around the market excited as eagerly as ever. Mr. Roosevelt is not going to do much bounding of business between now and election time. Nor is the budget going to be balanced.

## PORT OF BOSTON

**EUROPEAN MAIL.**  
Closing of Foreign Section, mail postoffice. Registered mail closes at 7:45 p. m. on 8 p. m. closing; otherwise at 7:45 p. m. on day before.

**S.S. President Roosevelt.**—Tuesday 8 p. m.  
R.A. Europa.—Tuesday 8 p. m.  
S.S. Berengaria.—Tuesday 8 p. m.

**THE TIDES.**  
(From C. & G. Coast and Harbor Survey.)  
Tide and current tables for the harbor of Boston, Massachusetts, and the adjacent waters of the State of New York, for the year 1936.

**HIGH WATER.**—Low water at New York, N. Y., 11:00 a. m. on March 16, 1936. High water at New York, N. Y., 5:00 p. m. on March 16, 1936.

**WEATHER.**  
(From F. & W. Weather Bureau.)  
Low, forecast for the day and night, from 10 p. m. to 10 p. m. on March 16, 1936. High, forecast for the day and night, from 10 p. m. to 10 p. m. on March 16, 1936.

**MONDAY'S SHIPPING RECORD.**  
Albany, Poughkeepsie, and New York, N. Y., for New York, N. Y., on March 16, 1936. Albany, Poughkeepsie, and New York, N. Y., for New York, N. Y., on March 16, 1936.

**DEPARTURES.**  
Albany, Poughkeepsie, and New York, N. Y., for New York, N. Y., on March 16, 1936. Albany, Poughkeepsie, and New York, N. Y., for New York, N. Y., on March 16, 1936.

**ARRIVALS.**  
Albany, Poughkeepsie, and New York, N. Y., for New York, N. Y., on March 16, 1936. Albany, Poughkeepsie, and New York, N. Y., for New York, N. Y., on March 16, 1936.

## FINAL Liquidation of STUMP

### TWO TRENDS DEVELOPING

By Leslie Gould

International News Service Financial Writer

New York, March 16—

This year will be noted financially for two developments:

1. Clearing up of back dividends on preferred stocks, and

2. Converting higher interest and dividend rate corporate securities into lower interest and dividend paying ones.

These are the natural developments of the final liquidation of the emergency from a great depression, such as the one of the last four to five years.

This department has just completed a compilation of 470 preferred stocks that have dividend accumulations to be liquidated, either through payment of dividends or refunding, such as the recent Bethlehem Steel plan. That important feature in the steel industry paid off the dividend accumulations with a new issue of lower rate preferred stock.

The accumulations range from 7½ cents on a \$100 share to 60 cents on a \$100 share.

There are 470 preferred stocks, 40 per cent preferred to \$104 per share, and 30 per cent preferred to \$100 per share.

The great bulk of the accumulations are under \$20 a share. Of the 470 preferred stocks, 40 per cent are in that group.

Here's the way the accumulations stack up, according to per share amounts:

Per share No. of shares

From \$10 to \$15 a share 104

From \$15 to \$20 a share 90

From \$20 to \$25 a share 48

From \$25 to \$30 a share 11

From \$30 to \$35 a share 4

From \$35 to \$40 a share 4

From \$40 to \$45 a share 4

From \$45 to \$50 a share 4

From \$50 to \$100 a share 1

Over \$100 a share 1

Total 470

25 Years Ago

New York, March 16 (1911).—Wheat shorts run in on crop outlook.

American Tobacco stock soared to new high of \$40.

Revolution stimulated copper stocks.

Rail earnings up sharply.

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## BILLS Await ACTION

### TO WIDEN U. S. TRADE RULE

By Gene Robb

Washington, March 16—

Field in less than six months of the year a fresh

troop of plans to increase Government competition

with private business and to extend Federal powers

over industry are being paraded through Congress,

pressing a drive for their enactment into law.

While signs of insurgency are evident, covering the President's recommendations for a corporation surplus tax and new

provisions, these two types of "invited" proposals are

being held in abeyance to hold the support of most congressional leaders.

Of a dozen pending measures to put back on quantity discounts and service allowances

which large retailers have passed their savings of nearly 6 per cent

to the consuming public, the Robinson-Patman bill is the

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